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#### **DISABILITIES**

# **U.S. Department of Labor**

Office of Disability Employment Policy

**Home Modification Grants** 

**Program:** The Department of Labor is collaborating with the Corporation for National and

Community Service and the Department of Housing and Urban Development to promote the development of home modifications as a means to expand the community

integration of individuals with disabilities and encourage the employment of individuals with disabilities. Through the Faith-Based and Community Initiative (FBCI), local faith-based and community organizations can take a leadership role in developing projects that assist individuals with disabilities to remain in their homes, or

to move into accessible homes.

Funds: Total funds available: \$500,000

Range of awards: \$50,000 to \$100,000

Number of awards: 10

**Deadline:** July 14, 2003

**Eligible:** Faith-based and community non-profit organizations that also: (1) have social services

as a major part of their mission; (2) are headquartered in the local community to which they provide these services; and (3) have a total annual operating budget of \$300,000

or less, or have six or fewer full-time equivalent employees.

**Information:** Cassandra Willis, U.S. Department of Labor, Procurement Services Center, Reference

SGA 03-07, Room N-5416, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210,

Telephone: (202) 693-4570, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

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**FR:** 5/26 32090-32106

**Department of Labor** 

Office of Disability Employment Policy

Working for Freedom, Opportunity, and Real Choice Through Community Employment Action Grant Initiative

**Program:** 

This Department of Labor initiative will provide support for increasing and improving employment opportunities that allow individuals with disabilities to:

- 1. move from nursing homes or other institutions and residential facilities into the community;
- 2. continue living in the community;
- 3. achieve economic self-sufficiency; and
- 4. attain full access to, and participation in their communities.

These demonstration grants will begin or expand the delivery and implementation of customized community employment opportunities for individuals with disabilities so that they may live, work, and fully participate in their communities. The purpose is to develop and document the capability of individuals transitioning from segregated environments, such as nursing homes, institutions, and segregated day environments, to:

- ✓ successfully participate in community employment through utilization of customized strategies;
- ✓ increase their earnings and economic power through participation in such employment; and
- ✓ live, work, and fully participate in their communities.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$2.5 million

Range of awards: \$400,000 to \$625,000 per year

Number of awards: up to 6 grants

**Deadline:** July 14, 2003

**Eligible:** Non-profit organizations, including faith-based and community organizations, that

indicate their intent to register as eligible training providers in their states and

coordinate with their local One-Stop Career Centers

**Information:** Cassandra Willis, Procurement Services Center, U.S. Department of Labor, Reference

SGA 03-07, Room N-5416, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, Telephone:

(202) 693-4570, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13400.htm

**FR:** 5/29 32106-32124

#### **EDUCATION**

**U.S. Department of Education** 

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services

National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research

**Disability Rehabilitation Research Projects Program** 

**Program:** The purpose of the Disability Rehabilitation Research Projects program is to improve

the effectiveness of rehabilitation services and outcomes for individuals with

disabilities.

**Funds:** Range of awards: \$300,000 to \$600,000

**Deadline:** July 28, 2003

Eligible: States, public or private organizations, institutions of higher education

**Information:** Donna Nangle, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room

3412, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2645, Telephone: (202) 205-5880, E-

mail: Donna.Nangle@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13458.htm

**FR:** 5/29 32026-32028

# **U.S. Department of Education**

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services

**Rehabilitation Research and Training Centers** 

**Program:** The purpose of the Rehabilitation Research and Training Centers program is to

improve the effectiveness of services authorized under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. This program supports vocational rehabilitation services through assistance to the states and provides a wide range of services designed to help persons with physical or mental impairments, which result in a substantial impediment to employment, prepare for and engage in gainful employment to the extent of their capabilities. The grant program's priorities are intended to improve the rehabilitation services and outcomes

for individuals with disabilities.

**Funds:** Range of awards: \$600,000 to \$750,000

**Deadline:** July 28, 2003

**Eligible:** States, public or private organizations, institutions of higher education

**Information:** Donna Nangle, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room

3412, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2645, Telephone: (202) 205-5880, E-

mail: Donna.Nangle@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13395.htm

**FR:** 5/29 32023-32025

#### **U.S. Department of Education**

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services

Special Education: State Program Improvement Grants Program

**Program:** The purpose of this program, authorized under the Individuals with Disabilities

Education Act (IDEA), is to assist state educational agencies and their partners with reforming and improving their systems for providing educational, early intervention, and transitional services, including their systems for professional development,

technical assistance, and dissemination of knowledge about best practices, to improve

results for children with disabilities.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$11 million

Estimated size of awards: \$530,000 to \$2,199,000

**Deadline:** July 11, 2003

**Eligible:** State educational agencies

**Information:** The Grants and Contracts Services Team, U.S. Department of Education, 400

Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 3317, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2550,

Telephone: (202) 205-8207, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

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**FR:** 5/27 28818-28821

#### **ELDERLY**

# **U.S. Department of the Treasury**

**Internal Revenue Service** 

Tax Counseling for the Elderly Program

**Program:** The Internal Revenue Service will enter into cooperative agreements with private or

public non-profit agencies or organizations to establish a network of trained volunteers to provide free tax information and return preparation assistance to elderly individuals.

Sponsoring agencies and organizations will receive a grant from the IRS for

administrative expenses and to reimburse volunteers for expenses incurred in training

and in providing tax return assistance.

**Funds:** N/A

**Deadline:** August 1, 2003

**Eligible:** Private or public non-profit agencies or organizations

**Information:** Mrs. Lynn Tyler, Building C-7, Room 185, Internal Revenue Service, 5000 Ellin Road,

Lanham, MD 20706, Telephone: (202) 283-0189. Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

<u>/03-13277.htm</u>

**FR:** 5/28 31743

# **Department of Health and Human Services**

**Administration on Aging** 

**Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services** 

**Program:** The Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Aging will make

award to states to encourage the development of Aging and Disability Resource Center programs. The programs will provide citizen-centered "one-stop shop" entry points into the long term support system and will be based in local communities accessible to people who may require long term support. Resource Centers will serve individuals who need long- term support, their family caregivers, and those planning for future long-term support needs. They also will serve as a resource for health and long-term support professionals and others who provide services to the elderly and to people with disabilities. Resource Centers supported under this program must, at a minimum, include the elderly population, and at least one of the following major target groups by the first quarter of the second year: individuals with physical disabilities; individuals with serious mental illness; and individuals with mental retardation or developmental

disabilities.

**Funds:** Grant size: up to \$800,000 over three years

Total number of awards: up to 16

**Deadline:** July 28, 2003

**Eligible:** State agencies; only one application per state will be accepted.

**Information:** Kari Benson, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on

Aging, Center for Planning and Policy Development, Washington, DC, 20201,

Telephone: (202) 357-3461, E-mail: Kari.Benson@aoa.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

<u>/03-13442.htm</u>

**FR:** 5/29 32053-32055

#### **ENVIRONMENT**

# **Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation**

# **Lindbergh Grants Program**

**Program:** The Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation is soliciting applications for

Lindbergh Grants to further the Lindbergh's vision of a balance between the advance

of technology and the preservation of the natural and human environment. The

Lindbergh grants program provides seed money for pilot projects. Grants are made in the following categories: agriculture; aviation/aerospace; conservation of natural resources, including animals, plants, water, and general conservation; education, including humanities education, the arts, and intercultural communication; exploration; health, including biomedical research, health and population sciences, and adaptive

technology; and waste minimization and management.

**Funds:** Up to \$10,580 **Deadline:** June 12, 2003

**Eligible:** Private or public non-profit agencies or organizations

**Information:** The Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation, 2150 Third Avenue North,

Suite 310, Anoka, MN 55303-2200, Telephone: (763) 576-1596, Fax: (763) 576-1664,

E-mail: info@lindberghfoundation.org, Link: www.lindberghfoundation.org

# **Captain Plant Foundation**

**Environmental Programs** 

**Program:** The Captain Planet Foundation supports projects that organize children and youth to

solve environmental problems in their communities.

Funds: Grants range from \$250 to \$2,500. **Deadline:** June 30 and September 30, 2003

**Eligible:** Nonprofit organizations with local environmental programs involving children and

youth ages 6 to 18

**Information:** Sona Chambers, Captain Planet Foundation, One CNN Center, Atlanta, GA 30303, E-

mail: captain.planet.foundation@turner.com, Link: http://www.captainplanetfdn.org

#### **HEALTH**

# Children's Hospital Boston Community Child Health Fund

**Program:** Through the Community Child Health Fund, the Office of Child Advocacy at

Children's Hospital Boston supports hospital-based or community service projects that

ensure access to high quality, culturally responsive care for at-risk children, adolescents, and their families from Boston. Funding is available for projects that address asthma management, improving access to health care, injury prevention, and mental health services. The program currently is accepting applications for funding to support projects that address asthma management and education. The target populations are low-income children, adolescents, and families living in the urban neighborhoods of Boston.

**Funds:** Three \$5,000 awards will be given to support innovative, collaborative, and sustainable

projects.

**Deadline:** June 13, 2003

**Eligible:** Staff from Children's Hospital, community organizations, health centers, and schools

are eligible and invited to apply. Funding from Community Child Health Fund should be used to develop new ideas or to strengthen existing projects that benefit low-income

children and adolescents from Boston.

**Information:** Jennifer Miller, Program Funds Coordinator, Children's Hospital Boston, Office of

Child Advocacy, 21 Autumn Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Boston, MA 02115, Telephone: (617) 355-8600, Fax: (617) 731-3336, E-mail: jennifer.miller@tch.harvard.edu, Link:

www.childrenshospital.org/about/childadvocacy/cchf.html.

# U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Addressing Asthma From a Public Health Perspective

Program:

The purpose of this funding is to provide the impetus to begin development of program capacity to address asthma from a public health perspective in order to bring about:

- 1. a focus of asthma related activity within the agency;
- 2. an increased understanding of asthma related data and its application to program planning through development of an ongoing surveillance system;
- 3. an increased recognition within the public health structure of the state of the potential to use a public health approach to reduce the burden of asthma;
- 4. linkages of the agency to the many agencies and organizations addressing asthma in the population; and
- 5. participation in intervention program activities.

Funding is available to support projects in three areas:

- ✓ developing state capacity to address asthma;
- ✓ enhancing state capacity to address asthma; and
- ✓ implementation of state asthma plans.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$4,450,000

Total number of awards: 9-12

Average grant size: \$350,000 to \$700,000

**Deadline:** July 14, 2003

**Eligible:** State public health departments or their bona fide agents

**Information:** Mildred Garner, Grants Management Officer, Procurement and Grants Office, Centers

for Disease Control and Prevention, 2920 Brandywine Road, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146,

Telephone: (770) 488-2745, E-mail: mgg4@cdc.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13222.htm

**FR:** 5/28 31707-31720

# U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Health Resources and Services Administration Comprehensive Geriatrics Education Program

**Program:** Grants will be awarded to eligible entities for programs that offer training to

individuals who will provide geriatric care for the elderly by enhancing the knowledge, skills, and leadership potential of registered nurses in a variety of settings. Projects must demonstrate that the preparation of registered nurses benefits licensed practical nurses (LPN) and certified nurse assistants (CNA). Each project must describe the program for registered nurses and the specific activities designed to develop and strengthen the skills of LPNs and CNAs to promote quality care for the geriatric

population.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$3 million

Estimated number of awards: 12-30

Estimated size of awards: \$75,000 to \$200,000

**Deadline:** July 7, 2003

**Eligible:** Schools of nursing, academic health centers, health care facilities, partnerships of a

school and a health care facility, partnerships of a program leading to CNA certification and a health care facility, and appropriate public or private entities

**Information:** Dr. Patricia Calico, Division of Nursing, Bureau of Health Professions, Health

Resources and Services Administration, Parklawn Building, Room 9-36, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville MD 20857, Telephone: (301) 443-5486, E-mail: <a href="mailto:pcalico@hrsa.gov">pcalico@hrsa.gov</a>,

Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13225.htm

**FR:** 5/28 31722-31723

# U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Health Resources and Services Administration State Planning Grants

**Program:** The Health Resources and Services Administration, through its State Planning Grants

(SPG) Program, will accept applications from both states that previously have received SPG grant funds and states that have never received SPG grant funds. These grants will be used, over a 12-month period, to identify the characteristics of the uninsured within the state and develop approaches for providing all uninsured persons with access to health coverage. States will be expected to design approaches that provide affordable health insurance benefits similar in scope to the Federal Employees Health Benefit Plan, Medicaid, coverage offered to State employees, or other similar quality

benchmarks. The purpose of supplemental SPG grants for states which have previously received SPG grant funds is to assist such states in continuing their data gathering, analysis, and planning processes. The supplemental grant will allow states to enhance, refine, and update the work of their initial SPG award to plan to provide all uninsured

persons with health coverage.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$15 million

Grant size: Up to \$150,000 for states which have previously received SPG grant funds;

up to \$1.2 million for states which have never received SPG grant funds

**Deadline:** July 14, 2003

**Eligible:** States

**Information:** Ms. Judy Humphrey, Health Resources and Services Administration, Parklawn

Building, Room 16C-17, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Telephone: (301)

443-2309, Fax: (301) 443-1267, E-mail: JHumphrey@hrsa.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

/03-13392.htm

**FR:** 5/29 32063-32067

#### **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**

#### **Active Living Policy and Environmental Studies Program**

**New Investigator Awards** 

**Program:** New Investigator Awards from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Active Living

Policy and Environmental Studies Program provide grants for scientific research that

explores relationships among policy issues, characteristics of natural and built

environments, and physical activity in humans. Proposals should cover one or more of the following topics: physical activity and characteristics of community environments; the use of parks and recreation facilities for physical activity; or the impact of changes

in community environments or policies on physical activity.

Funds: Up to \$100,000 Deadline: September 2, 2003

**Eligible:** Doctoral candidates or individuals who received their doctorates no more than five

years prior to the date of submission. Preference is given to those affiliated with public agencies or organizations classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the

Internal Revenue Code.

**Information:** Julie Weitzel, Active Living Policy and Environmental Studies, National Program

Office, San Diego State University, 3900 Fifth Avenue, Suite 310, San Diego, CA

92103, Telephone: (619) 260-5539, Fax (619) 260-1510, E-mail:

alpes@projects.sdsu.edu; Link: http://www.alpes.ws

#### U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

**Health Resources and Services Administration** 

Title III Early Intervention Services Program

**Program:** The purpose of the Title III Early Intervention Services Program funding is to provide

for high quality, culturally competent, early intervention services and primary care to individuals with HIV infection, on an ongoing outpatient basis. This is accomplished by increasing the present capacity and capability of eligible ambulatory health services entities. These expanded services become a part of a continuum of HIV prevention and

care for individuals who are at risk for HIV infection or are HIV infected.

**Funds:** Total funds available: \$4 million

Number of awards: 12 - 15

**Deadline:** July 14, 2003

**Eligible:** Public entities and private nonprofit entities

**Information:** Division of Community Based Programs, HIV/AIDS Bureau, Health Resources and

Services Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane Room 7A-30, Rockville, Maryland 20857,

Telephone: (301) 443-0493, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003

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**FR:** 5/29 32062-32063

**Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation** 

**Elizabeth Glaser Scientist Awards** 

**Program:** The Elizabeth Glaser Scientist Awards seek to build an international network of

scientists focusing on pediatric HIV/AIDS treatment and prevention.

**Funds:** \$650,000 over five years for HIV/AIDS research

**Deadline:** June 13, 2003

**Eligible:** Individuals who have an M.D., Ph.D., D.D.S., or D.V.M.; applicants must be at the

level of assistant professor or higher.

**Information:** Chris Hudnall, Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation, 2950 31<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite

125, Santa Monica, CA 90405-3092, Telephone: (310) 314-1459, Fax: (310) 314-1469,

E-mail: info@pedaids.org; Link: http://www.pedaids.org/egsa\_02.html

**Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation** 

**Research Grants** 

**Program:** The Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation supports research on treatments for

chronic injuries.

**Funds:** Two-year awards of up to \$75,000 per year are available for senior scientists and

young investigators. Postdoctoral fellowships of up to \$60,000 per year are also

available.

**Deadline:** June 16, 2003

**Eligible:** Scientists, researchers, or postdoctoral scholars affiliated with host institutions that will

serve as fiscal sponsors

**Information:** Douglas S. Landsman, Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation, 500 Morris Avenue,

Springfield, N.J. 07081, Telephone: (800) 225-0292, Fax: (973) 912-9433, E-mail:

dlandsman@crpf.org, Link: http://www.christopherreeve.org

**American Psychiatric Foundation** 

**Excellence in Mental Illness Awareness and Service for Minorities** 

**Program:** The awards will recognize psychiatrists and other mental health professionals and

mental health programs that have undertaken innovative and supportive efforts to raise awareness of mental illness in minority communities, the need for early recognition, the availability of and cultural barriers to treatment; increase access to quality mental

health services for minorities; and improve the quality of care for minorities, particularly those in the public health system or with severe mental illness.

**Funds:** Two awards of \$5,000 each

**Deadline:** November 1, 2003

**Eligible:** Not-for-profit organizations with a 501(c) 3 designation

**Information:** Barbara Matos, American Psychiatric Foundation, 1000 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington,

VA 22209; Link: www.psychfoundation.org/grants/grants.asp.

#### **NOT-FOR-PROFITS**

#### **Association of Fundraising Professionals**

#### **Award for Outstanding Achievement in Internet Fundraising**

**Program:** The award honors a nonprofit organization that demonstrates engaging and innovative

uses of Internet technology to raise funds. Web sites will be judged on six criteria: content and presentation, fund-raising effectiveness, innovation, relationship building,

security and privacy, and technical proficiency and reliability.

**Funds:** N/A

**Deadline:** September 15, 2003

**Eligible:** Not-for-profit organizations

**Information:** Joanna Osborn, Association of Fundraising Professionals, 1101 King Street, Suite 700,

Alexandria, VA 22314, Telephone: (703) 684-0410, Fax: (703) 684-0540, Link:

http://www.afpnet.org/tier3\_cd.cfm?content\_item\_id=6828&folder\_id=891

#### **CYMA Systems**

#### **In-Kind Accounting Computer Software**

**Program:** CYMA Systems, a developer of accounting software for nonprofit groups, will provide

a one-time credit of \$3,100 for the purchase of CYMA software and services totaling

\$4.095.

**Funds:** In-kind accounting computer software donations

**Deadline:** July 31, 2003

**Eligible:** Nonprofits with an annual revenue or an annual operating budget of less than \$5million **Information:** CYMA Systems, 2330 West University Drive, Suite 7, Tempe, AZ 85281, Telephone:

(800) 292-2962, Fax (480) 303-2969, E-mail: info@cyma.com, Link:

http://www.cyma.com

#### **Target**

#### **Community Giving Grants**

**Program:** Target stores in communities across the United States are now accepting applications

for the company's community giving grant program. The program currently awards

grants in three areas: arts, education, and family violence prevention.

Funds: Average grant size: \$1,000 to \$5,000

**Deadline:** July 31, 2003

**Eligible:** Not-for-profit community-based organizations located in a community where Target

does business

**Information:** http://target.com/common/page.jhtml?content=target\_cg\_grant\_guidelines

#### **YOUTH**

# Jenesis Group Grants for Youth

**Program:** 

The Jenesis Group is a private family foundation whose mission is to improve the quality of life for America's youth by creating opportunities for them to reach their full potential. The Foundation offers grants to non-profit organizations focusing on youth development, education, and social entrepreneurship, investing in grassroots organizations that work to empower disadvantaged and at-risk youth to become productive citizens in a democratic society. Priority is given to programs that are preventative in approach and that provide comprehensive and long-term solutions to the challenges facing youth. The Jenesis Group primarily invests in organizations that help children and youth by:

- ✓ building self-esteem and foster self reliance;
- ✓ emphasizing literacy and academic excellence;
- ✓ offering leadership training and development;
- ✓ utilizing mentoring strategies;
- ✓ teaching career readiness and life skills;
- ✓ preventing juvenile delinquency; and
- ✓ developing entrepreneurial skills.

**Deadline:** Rolling **Funds:** Varies

Eligible: Not-for-profit organizations with annual budgets below \$500,000

**Information:** Julie Jensen, Trustee, Jenesis Group, P.O. Box 637, Hurst, TX 76054, Telephone:

(817) 581-1999, Fax: (972) 999-4599, E-mail: ktanner@jenesis.org, Link:

www.jenesis.org.

#### **FOUNDATION PROFILES**

#### **Home Depot**

#### **Community Grants Program**

**Program:** 

Home Depot is committed to giving back to the communities where their associates and customers live and work. The company concentrates its efforts on affordable housing, at-risk youth, the environment, and disaster preparedness and relief, and focuses its grantmaking on the following areas:

- ✓ Developing and rehabilitating affordable housing support for neighborhood housing service organizations; community development corporations; neighborhood revitalization groups; and other organizations directly involved with the creation or rehabilitation of low-income housing.
- ✓ At-risk youth programs that provide children with a safe place to engage in learning activities and acquire meaningful life skills, including: organizations that work with young adults to teach construction techniques and the importance of working and solving problems together; programs that help

develop self-esteem and leadership qualities; and partnerships that bring young people together to participate in community service events.

- ✓ Environment organizations that direct efforts toward protecting natural systems; forestry and ecology; green building design; clean-up and recycling; and lead poisoning prevention.
- ✓ Disaster preparedness and response assistance to communities for: preparing through clinics and awareness programs, which teach individuals how to be ready for an emergency; responding with needed supplies and volunteers in the wake of natural disasters and severe weather; and rebuilding projects.

**Funds:** Grants range from \$5,000 to \$25,000.

**Deadline:** January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15

**Eligible:** Not-for-profit community organizations

**Information:** The Home Depot Foundation, 2455 Paces Ferry Road, Atlanta, GA 30339, Telephone:

(770) 384-3889, Fax: (770) 384-3907, E-mail: hd\_foundation@homedepot.com, Link:

www.homedepotfoundation.org.

### **Simon Brothers Family Foundation**

**Education Grants** 

**Program:** The Simon Brothers Family Foundation supports primary and secondary education

reform projects in Boston.

**Funds:** Average grant: \$15,000

Range of grants: \$10,000 to \$20,000

**Deadline:** Rolling

**Eligible:** Non-profit organizations

**Information:** Simon Brothers Family Foundation, 45 Powell Street, Brookline, MA 02446,

Telephone: (781) 848-2500, E-mail: dfsimon@atttbi.com.

#### **Women Helping Others Foundation**

#### **Funding for Grassroots Charities Serving Women and Children**

**Program:** The Women Helping Others Foundation provides funding to grassroots organizations

that serve the overlooked needs of women and children. The foundation's priorities include specific projects and programs addressing health, education, and social

services. Recognizing the value of new programs created to respond to changing needs, the foundation will consider funding projects of an original or pioneering nature within

an existing organization.

**Deadline:** September 16, 2003 for funding in 2004 **Funds:** Grants range from \$2,500 to \$15,000.

**Eligible:** Not for profit organizations. Organizations must have been incorporated for a

minimum of three years prior to application. Preference will be given to organizations with an operating budget of \$2 million or less, those not dependent upon government

grants, and those with program costs that exceed personnel costs.

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